Provincial Gov't Approves

Drastic Revision Sug-

gested by Board

REDUCEC AT VENDORS

Prices of Permits Remain

Same - Mail Order

Service Starting

ONE HUNDRED BRANDS

Nimpkish Trapper, Is **Found Among Willows**

SKIFF DISCOVERED FILLED WITH WATER

Friends Will Inter Remains Near His Lonely Cabin, as He Wished

A LERT BAY, Dec. 20.—The body of Alexander F. Smith, fitty-four, was found among the willows at the edge of Anuts Lake, on Wednesday afternoon. His partners, George Storey and George Boxall, were to meet him on Sunday, December 14, at his cabin on Nimprish Lake. When he did not appear they went to a cabin on his trap line at Anuts Lake and saw that it had been recently occupied. Becoming anxious at his nonappearance, they started to search the route he would take between the two cabins, and on Wednesday sfermoon his body of Smith was found in the water, in a small bay. POUND BOAT.

Smith's eight-foot skiff was found swamped not far away, it is presumed that he started across Anuts Lake towards Mimpitsh Lake and the small boat became swamped. It was Smith's expressed wish that when he died he was to be burled near his cabin, and his riends will carry it out.

NATIVE OF ONTARIO

Smith was a native of Carleton County, Ontario, and has been trapping and prospecting in the Nampflish Lake country for many years. He is survived by a nephew, Roy Davis, who came from Vancouver when notified his uncle was missing. "Smithy" was well known throughout this district, and his until mely death is much repreted by all who haw him. LERT BAY, Dec. 20,-The bod

MERCHANTS SAY HOLIDAY TRADE **PROMISES WEL**

Business on Whole Slightly Below Normal, but Is Improving

VICTORIA MAINTAINS ENVIABLE POSITION

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series of calls on long-established mercantile houses with a view of acceptaining conditions, which was related to the conditions of the c

MUSICAL TRADES

In the musical line. The Colonist reprentative found conditions monewhat lower in demand than at the same period of last year. The say payment plan appears to be operating with equal vicer, although he actual sales are not so numerous. Delections, musical dealers say, are reeping up very well. "Victoria cercantinued are Pars." 2. Centinued.

Continued on Page 2, Column 6 RAILWAY CORPORATION PLACES LARGE ORDER FOR ROLLING STOCK

FOR ROLLING STOCK

MONTREAL, Dec. 20.— Orders
have been placed by the Canadian
Pacific Railway for the construction
of fitty-five passenger cars and 426
freight and service units, it was announced here today.

The Canadian Car and Poundry
Company will build then bagsage and
express cars and the steel frames of
forty-five other passenger cars.

Forty-five gondolas and thirtyfive air-dump cars will be built by
the Canadian Car and Poundry
Company, while 200 refrigerator cars
will be constructed by the National
Steel Car Company and 100 flat cars
by the Eastern Car Company.

In addition, three anowploughs
and owenty-five lank cars will be
constructed by the railway company
in 14s own shops.

Loganberry Wine Sent To Orient WILL

When Paul Sykes, Dominion trade, commissioner at Rongkong, selled yesterdoor at Rongkong, selled yesterdoor afternoor on the Empress of Japan for home, after several months in Canada, he carried with him a case of bottles of loganberry wine as samples.

The trade commissioner expressed great interest in the possibility of developing an export trade from British Columbia to the Orient in this beverage, and will canvass the market at Mongkong for British market at Mongkong for British outputs of the control of the developing among European residents, not only by reason of its quality but by the part of the

BUSINESS MAN

Hollywood Motorist Ordered to Drive to Secluded Spot, and Robbed

VICTIM TURNS TABLES AT HOME ON ROBBERS

Two stylishly clad young women held up and kidnapped a business man early today, the first all-woman robbery of record here, but they escaped with only a trivial sum because they were women sum because they were women and accepted a courtesy from their victim.

their victim.

Alian Carson, the victim, said the women sated him for a ride as he stopped his car at a street intersection. He refused, but dhanged his mind when one of them drew a large pitted.

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Hit is accepting the usual courtesy of a gentlemen, they erred as robbers. Carrow said he unlocked his sparsment door and stood assist. Blowing them to enter first. Insisted of following them, he mapped the door shut, ran to a hallway telephone and called police.

Amused at this turn of events. Carrom walked back to the door, expecting to hear some genuine femiliants lemperament. He did; it is considered to the door of the carrom walked back to the door in time to accome the door with a time to accome the door with rustle of skirts. Both of them leaped to the ground and fied in the darkness.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)— The Senate last night passed the bill appropriating an additional \$150.000.000 for the Farm Board, completing Congressional action on the measure. Congress adjourned at 12:05 o'clock this morning for a two weeks' recess.

OKLAHOMA OIL WELL LIGHTS COUNTRYSIDE

WEWOKA. Okla., Dec. 29 (AP).

The giant torch of "Wild Abe."
The gamer at the city's edge, continued to light in the countryside tonight in defance of a corps of men laboring to extingulan the older of accompany of the countrying the men laboring to extingulan the countrying feet into the air from amid the mass.

150 feet into the air from amid the mass of the property of the country of

Former Minister of Justice Is III



Beer Sales Win Large Majorities M

Funds Provided by Government to Aid Jobless Allocated

Measures Taken to See Actual Distress Relieved-Federal Aid Sought to Carry Scheme of Relief Work Into New Year

A CTIVE negotiations are in progress between the Federal and Provincial Governments on the question of further unemployment relief funds for British Columbia, it was intimated by Premier Tolmie yesterday. These negotiations will be furthered at a joint conference to be held next week by the members of the unemployed committee of the Provincial Cabinet and Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce in the Dominion Government. Government

Service Starting

Complete revision of liquor price schedules, affecting liquor, wines, ale and stout, to become effective by the Provincial Gorea subhorized by the Provincial Gorea subhorized by the Provincial Gorea subhorized to the Liquor Control Board. Material reductions in upwards of 100 brands are shown on the new price list, officially known as list No. 1. Permits are continued at the \$2 and \$1 level for liquor and beer, and the Liquor Control Board is authorized to institute a mail order service to supply outlying places where smaller vendors' stores do not stock the general list.

The new schedule was approved by the Cabbinet yesterday morning. The reductions include some cuts of \$1 to \$1.50 on 160-ounce cases of liquor, and from 10 to 15 cents per bottle on many brands of liquor, and from 10 to 15 cents per bottle on many brands of liquor, and from 10 to 15 cents per bottle on many brands of liquor, and from 10 to 15 cents per bottle on the price authorized to apply at the first of the new year include the following examples, each in respect to a named brand: Rye whisky, \$16.50 for 160-ounce lots; Sootch, \$18; rum, \$23; pure grain alcohol, \$27.30; imported champagme, \$1.50 to \$4.75 per bottle; Bordeaux, \$8 cents per bottle: Bordeaux, \$8 cents per bottle: Bordeaux, \$8 cents per bottle: loganberry wine, \$2.50 in 160-ounce lots; acutalian wine, \$1.18 per bottle; per wine and sharry in 160-ounce cases, \$6; liquour range from the starting the reduction in leguor prices was made without comments by the Cabbase, Premier Tolmie stating the reduction without comments by the Cabbase, Premier Tolmie stating the reduction without comments by the Cabbase, Premier Tolmie stating the reduction without comments by the Cabbase, Premier Tolmie stating the reduction without comments by the Cabbase, Premier Tolmie stating the reduction of the Liquor Control Board. The new prices, he said, would be applied promptly on January 1, 1851. Government.

Meanwhile the committee has issued a statement setting out the exact status of the operation of the Unemployment Relief Act in this province, with the sums expended unemployment believed cristing in each section. This statement shows that all but appreximately \$40,000 of the \$1,000,000 set saide by the two Covernments for relief works in British Columbia has been allocated. British Cotumbia has been allocated.
The sum of \$384,098 has been allocated to municipalities for relief work and agreements now principalities with a second to the sum of the

Agreements with some sixty-shaves municipalities have been ratified as follows:

Cities—Albernl, \$45.00; Armstrong, \$1.250; Chilliwack, \$1.400; Courtenay, \$1.600; Cranbrook, \$7.000; Cumberland, \$807; Duncan, \$3.500; Enderby, pending; Fernle, \$11.000; Grand Forks, \$5.000; Kelowns, \$11.000; Kasio, \$45.000; Kelowns, \$11.000; Ladyamith, \$1.500; Merritt, \$2.500; Nanalmo, \$2.2500; Neklowns, \$11.000; Ladyamith, \$1.500; Merritt, \$2.500; North Vancouver, \$27.000; Fort Albernl, \$5.500; Port Coquitlam, \$2.000; North Vancouver, \$17.000; Frince George, \$11.000; Prince Rupert, \$16.250; Revelatoke, \$11.000; Vancouver, \$7.000; Salmon Arm, \$7.500; Slocan, \$1.000; Vancouver, \$2000; Local or cities, \$685,073. Municipal Districts — Burnaby, \$84.000; Chilliwack, \$2.000; Coquitiam, \$9.500; Delica, \$2.000; Equimal, pending; Glenmore, \$500; Continued on Fage 2, Column 3 ARE WITHDRAWN Premier Berenquer Denies Rumor That Entire Cabi-

net Would Resign

NEWSPAPER SUSPENDED MEMSPAPER SUSPENUEU

MADRID. Dec. 20 (AP)—Spain was quiet tonight, but the Government, taking no chances after the revolutionary outbreaks of the last teek. Though in the principal cities were withdrawn from attent parts. Though in the principal cities were withdrawn from attent parts of an earn back to their barrack Huesca, was suspended for commenting on the execution of the leaders of the Jaca. multiny, and the Government, moding against the insurrectionate, order and the second of the whole the second of the se

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20 (AP),— he Government late today filed in

\$1,000,000 DAMAGE Prominent Canadian Manufacturer and Public-Snir-IS CAUSED BY STORM ited Citizen Succumbs PATRON OF THE ARTS

empest Rages on Algerian Coast-

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(ALGIERE, Dec. 20.—A tempest
has been raging for twenty-fourhours on the Algerian coasts. Algiera is the most damaged of all
the forts; the fury of the waves dismanifed the quay in several places
and washed away huge concrete.

COL. J. W. WOODS

DIES AT OTTAWA

m manifed the quay in several places and washed away huge concrete blocks. Damage caused to both the harbor and ships will exceed \$1,000,000.

Three trawlers and a yacht driftied doose and have disappeared. Two freight steamers of Ceneral Transatallantic Service, the St. Tropes and the Saint Maxime, were torn from the thing that the saint Maxime, were torn from the saint Maxime, were to the wharf and wrecked.

For three days and nights rain than been pouring incessantly, turnid ingrivers into torrents and causing disastrous floods. Army engineers have been dearn to rescue inhabitation of the saint of farms encircled by waters, and railroads blocked in several places. Disaster looms ahead for farmers.

PARIS. Dec. 20 (AP)—Dr. Boldin, b

IN PRINCE IS RECOVERING
LONDON, Dec. 20 (AP).—The Prince of Wales, who has been in liveling that a chill, is making astisfactory progress toward complete recovery, a bulletti from his residence, York and the other of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke of about hend gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old grave his life.

CONOCRD, NY, Dec. 20 —George wollman sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten days ago. He was in his sixty-year-old gravely ill since suffering a stroke some ten day

WILL ACCOMPANY VICERCY
OTTAWA, Dec. 20 (CP).—E. C.
Mieville, secretary to the GovernorGeneral of Canada, will proceed it
India with Lord Willingdon to his
new post. Mr. Mieville, whose outstanding popularity and ability have
marked his three years' presence in
the capital, came to Canada from
Peking, where he was private secretary to successive British ministers
from 1920 to 1927.

B.C. Apples Bought For Royal Navy in Mediterranean Sea

BRITISH Columbia apples will be used extensively by the Royal Navy, the Markets Branch, Department of Agriculture, is advised by Mon. T. G. Coventry, markets representative for the Province in Sund. Considerable quantities of apples have been inseed to be a sundered by the continuous of the British Columbia product in Oreat Britain is having results, states Mr. Coventry, which are being enhanced by the excellence of the apples shipped from this province.

WILL ACCOMPANY VICEROY

Prophets Busy Over Selec-

tion of Successor to Lord Willingdon

VICEROY APPOINTMENT MEETS WIDE APPROVAL

Times Says Admirable Tra dition Maintained by **British Premier**

LONDON, Dec. 20 (CP) LONDON, Dec. 20 (CP).—
Prophets are already getting busy
over the Canadian GovernorGeneralship in view of announcement of Lord Willingdon's appointment as Viceroy of India,
but considering how far they
went astray in the latter regard,
it is excusable to receive their
efforts skeptically.
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It is excusable to receive their efforts akeptically.

One newspaper declares the expectation is that "with the consent of Canada." the post will be offered to the Earl of Athlone, the Queen's brother and former Governor-General of South Africa. The Duke of Atholi, the Marquis of Lothian and the Earl of Cromer have been mentioned also. There is no reason to believe this is anything more than an intelligent guess—though more intelligent and more likely than some conjectures which are certain to find their way linto print.

KING'S SONS MENTIONED
Probably the Canadian vacancy will arouse speculations as to the possibility of one of His Majesty's younger sons being offered the post. Such a suggestion would not be wildly fantastic, but the real truth probabl, is that no name has yet been seriously considered in any official quarter.

Announcement of the appointment of Lord Willimedon as Vice-

Three Killed When Car Hit

By Fast Train

KITCHENER, Ont., Dec. 20 (SNS).—Death came to a father of seven and his two friends here today, when three New Hamburg men drove their car in front of a C.N.R. flyer. Abraham Kipler, father of seven and driver, died instantly, and Struite Zehr, twenty-flve, and Digon Struite Zehr, bessed away in bospital. B.C. VEHICLES FIVE INJURED WHEN SHELL EXPLODES IN ARGENTINE STREET

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 20 (AP).— A shrappel shell exploded in an artillery gun carriage passing down the main street of Ciudad Ela today, severely wounding three soldlers and two civilians who were watching the first artillery pass.

The artillery was part of a regiment returning from a review.

Wreck Survivors At Least Forty Lose Lives When Ss. Oberon Is Rammed by Sister Craft—Victims Went Down With Ship or Perished in Sea of Flaming Oil Following Explosion Swims With Daughter's Body in Arms

Vessels Abandon

Search for Ship

OPENHAGEN, Dec. 20 (AP).—Rescue vessels that had combed the fog-hidden Cattegal for twenty-four hours tonight virtually abandoned the search for possible additional survivors of one of the worst marine disasters in the history of the Danish coast, the sinking of the Finnish liner Oberon off Laso Island.

English Expert on Paintings Rated as Immigrant Laborer

BOSTON, Dec. 20 (SNS).—
Philip A. Hendy, noted
English expert on paintings,
in charge of a valuable collection at the Boston Museum of
Fine Arts, has been ordered to
leave the United States by the
Immigration Department, despite his international fame
and atanding. The department rules that he is "Immigrationer" and must reenter in quota.

B.C. GROWERS PREPARE SEEDS

Commanders of the vessels expressed belief any further search would be unsuccessful. At least forty persons, and possibly more, were believed to have been drowned when the Oberon went down, or to have perished later in a sea of flaming oil that escaped from the vessel's hold. The Oberon was rammed and sunk late lase inght in a dense fog by her sister altip, the Arcturus, of the same lim.

BROTHERS IN COMMAND
By a strange coincidence, the two

BROTHERS IN COMMAND
By a strange coincidence, the two
vessels were commanded by brothers
Captains Erik and Cast Hjeit. The
Arcturus, after the tragedy, picked
up Captain Erik Hjeit as he awam
in the icty waters with the body of
his drowned four-year-old daughter
in his arms. Captain Erik Hjeits
wife also was drowned.
Among those still missing and for
whom hope had about been abandoned were J. W. H. T. Douglas,
famous cricket player, and his
father, J. H. Douglas. Of twelve
English passengers known to have
been on the vessel, only two were
believed to have aurylved.
CRASHED IN DENSE FOG

Big Entry Planned for Province at World's Grain Show

TWO YEARS TO PREPARE

Determined efforts will be made by British Columbia seed growers to enter a fixet-rate exhibit in all classes of seeds at the World's corism Exhibition, to be held in Regins in 1932; it was stated yes british for the fixet of the province of CRASHED IN DENSE FOG

TWO YEARS TO PREPARE been seriously considered in any of the appointment of Lord Willington as Vicerey of India has been received with general approbation by newappers of various shades of political opinion.

CARRYS ON TRADITION
There is certainly no lack here of distinguished service overseas, says The Times, commenting on the perfence in India, neither is it to be regarded as an appointment made for party considerations. Premiser MacDonald may fairly claim he carrying on that admirable tradition of indifference to considerations of ley Baldwin, for instance, to entrust the Indian statutory Commission to Sir. Not the Sir. Not this entire the Indian statutory Commission to Sir. Not the Sir. Not the

Steady increase in the number of motor vehicles operating in the province is noted in figures supplied by the Motor Licence branch yeater day. From January 1 to November 30 last, a total of 97.435 motor vehicles were licensed, and 1.346 motor cycles. This compares with 94.127 miss have changed in this Biblical city, for the new \$1.000,000 King licensed in the same period last between the licensed and \$1.360 motor cycles. This compares and \$1.580 cm. Hotel was opened for Christmas guests today with the claim that it have severe taken out for 80.667 licensed in the same period last. The hotel is on a historic site. In the distance are seen the Valley of the internal strife which has guested in the same period of last seen the same period seen the same period last seen the same seen the valley of the internal strife which has about to be launched by the same strife of the internal strife which has a seen the valley of Hinnom.

Monaco's Army Mobilized

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STOCK House, today and but body sealing a station and off drink store, today gave his life off the woods and have disappeared. Two montreustens of the woods and the state of the woods and the woods and the state of the woods and the state of the woods and the woods and the state of the woods and the woods and the state of the woods and the state of the woods and the woods and the state of the woods and the state of the woo

Splendidly Reglized With Co-operation of Citizens Over Four Hundred Children Will Receive Scrip for Clothing The Mayor's Christmas Cheer fund, which has been the focal point of an intensive campaign over the last three weeks, was closed last night with "Objective Achieved" written over the standard. The fund has passed well over the \$1,000 mark set by the Mayor and his committee: Fred Landsberg, James Pletcher and J. W. Spener, and from a special meeting held yesterday morning Mr. Anscomb issued a statemen of thanks and appreciation to the numerous workers and hundreds of subterfibers to the cause. Among the former he enumerated the members of his own committee, the artists who sang The fund has passed well over the \$1,000 mark set by the Mayor and his committee: Fred Landsberg, James Pletcher and J. W. Spener, and from a special meeting held yesterday morning Mr. Anscomb issued a statemen of thanks; and appreciation to the numerous workers and hundreds of subterfibers to the cause. Among the former he enumerated the members of his own committee, the artists who sang Christmas Cheer Fund Is



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	Jap Oranges, 85c

19c 2 lbs. for ..

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Fables and Foibles

Being Verse and Worse By H. T. M.

THE SHEPHERD'S WELL

A little shepherd limped beside His drowsy, bleating fold: He whistled gay, nor thought to chide
The shrunken limb
That hampered him.
To scamper, free and bold.

He gazed, a-top a hillock green, Toward the "Glen of Oladness," Wherein the Leprechauns, unseen, Brew magic spell In mystic well. Whose waters chasten sadness.

And daily, here the shepherd roams
'Midst flowers, fairy planted,
To chatter with the Elves and Gnomes,
The while he dips
His trusting lips
In waters, thrice enchanted.

But came a span of scorching drought, The sheep are sorely panting.
The sheep are sorely panting.
The sheepherd's heart begins to doubt—
The waters shrink
He cannot drink
Their alchemy, enthanting.

In vain, the Elves and Leprechauns
Beseech the blazing sky.
And sadly watch, from shrubs and thorns,
Their shepherd sink
Beside the brink.
The day the well ran dry.

as Prince George and Prince Rupert, where lumbering is virtually at a standstill, and in the Fernie and Nanalmo districts, where coal mines are working on greatly reduced scales.

"Besides this industrial unemployment, hundreds of farmers are in need of assistance because of their inability to dispose of their valuable Documents

total costs of the work.

UNOBGANIZED DISTRICTS

In the unorganized districts, where the Pederal and Provincial Covernments share the cost of relief work done on a fity-drifty basis, the following total appropriations have been authorized:

Alberni Electoral District, \$23,000; Comox, \$30,000; Cowichan-New-eastle, \$30,000; Cowichan-New-eastle, \$30,000; Samon, \$10,000; Victoria, \$750; Mackenste, \$30,000; New Westminster, \$300; Dewdney, \$3,000; Kamioopa, \$30,000; Samon Arm, \$36,000; Nanadana area adjarent of Merritid Samon, \$30,000; North Okanagan, \$20,000; South Okanagan, \$15,000; Similkameen and Hope-Princeton Road, \$49,000; Coreston, \$30,000; Kanloo-Slocan, \$20,000; Reveltotke, \$30,000; Couth Okanagan, \$30,000; Kaslo-Slocan, \$20,000; Reveltotke, \$30,000; Control Reveltotke, \$30,000; Reveltotke, \$30,000; Control Reveltotke, \$30,000; Reveltotke, \$

STATEMENT ISSUED

In its statement on the whole question the memployment committee that distributed with the committee stated on the control of the Government to assist in relieving conditions. The Government has agreed to pay one-tenth of the cost of the Burrard Street bridge, up to an amount of \$200,000. It is spending \$105,000 on clearing and developing the British Columbia University lands, with the employment of men from around Vancouver, and this at no expense to the city whatever.

"Arrangements are also being made to take care of from fifty to 100 men daily, clearing on the new highway from Burnaby to Cogultam, where these men will be given three days work makes employed. All this, of course, is being paid by the Government apart from the Vancouver relief programme.

SEARCH FOR SHIP-

VESSELS ABANDON
SEARCH FOR SHIPWRECK SURVIVORS

Continued from Fage 1
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reles of victims as they struggled in
the sea of burning oil,
ANSWERD CALL FOR HELP
The Arcturus' call for help
brought the fog. As it neared the
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abor department, the provincial scierciary's department, or the provincial police.

"If all the requests received had seen accepted, twice the amount of money available to date would have seen allocated according to the acutal needs of each district.

IS SERIOUS PROBLEM
"As closely as the Government are estimate, from reports received from the provincial police, labor unreasu, district engineers and Government agents, there are 10,000 men unemblowed in Vancouver, 10.— used by survivors. What became of seed by survivors. What became of

Of Christmas Liquors

LOCAL TEACHER **CREDITED WITH** SUCCESS

(Excerpt from The San Francisco News).

the setulate, from reports related police, labor from the provincial police, labor bureaus, district engineers and dovernment agents, there are 10,000 men unemployed in Vancouver, 10,000 in other municipalities, and 7,500 in unorganised districts.

This unemployment in unorganized districts which, perhaps, is not cultivated by survivors. What became of hem could not be conjectured.

FOREPART SMASHED
When the Arcturus arrived laborative districts which, perhaps, is not collect the Forepart was seen fully appreciated in some of the clitics, is caused by the shutting thailfmast, its forepart was seen form of many industries, and is particularly acute in such districts with all modern lifesaving appliances, but the disaster came as the same of secting one feet, and the other lifesaving appliances, but the disaster came as the same of secting one feet with all modern lifesaving appliances, but the disaster came as the same of secting one feet the fife-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet the life-time of the same of secting one feet th

SIX KILLED BY

Is Found Dead in Vault After Holding Regiment

WOMAN AMONG VICTIMS The Empress orchestra's weekly sunday night concert, under William F. Tickle's direction, will to-

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First Action of the country. Connections will be made at Yahk for Spokane, he salid.

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THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL'S APPEAL

Our news columns have carried an appear om the Board of Directors of the Provincis oyal Jubilee Hospital for funds to meet the in Royal Jubilee Hospital for funds to meet the idebtedness of that institution so as to enable to carry on its work without impairment. carry on its work without impairment. The pital has unfortunately accumulated a detection \$60,000. Much of it is due to the period. of depression through which we have been passing. People are not able to pay their hospitabilis to the same extent as they have done in the past. Patients cannot be turned away, for that is forbidden by humanitarianism. They must be given every possible care and attention whether they are able to pay or not, and it is an old-time experience that public hospitals have the desired to a very considerable extent. Of to depend, to a very considerable extent, or either grants from Governments and municipali

to depend, to a very considerable extent, oneither grants from Governments and municipalities or else on public philanthropy.

In arranging its finances to meet routine
expenses the Jublice has failen behind. There is
no course open to that institution save to appeal
to the public for support. Its work is an essential part of our community life, and, as such,
must be maintained. The growth of the population has enforced ever-increasing demands on
hospital service. The Jublice is utilizing all the
space it has available. Through the years additional accommodation has become necessary and
has been provided. Under the circumstances in
which the hospital operates the greater the
number of patients there are the more likelihood there is of a deficit occurring in its budget.
This deficit has been very seriously aggravated
because of economic conditions. Tradesmen
cannot be expected to extend unlimited credit
to a hospital. They have a right to be paid, or
else their own economic position in the community must suffer and so the circle of depressing

only must suffer and so the circle of depressing conditions is widened.

The hospital should not appeal in vain. There is great wealth in this community which can supply the deficiencies of the Jubilee and in doing so achieve a humanitarian task. The citizens have now been notified of the impasse which the hospital has reached. The remedy should be forthcoming speedily. Victoria prides itself on its hospital services. To insure that these are kept in every respect up to the mark the Jubilee should be relieved of its present embarrassment.

PERSECUTION IN RUSSIA

Mr. E. Sabline, formerly Charge d'Affaires fo Mr. E. Sabline, formerly Charge d'Affares for Russia in Great Britain, has appealed to British public opinion to champion the principles of elementary liberty, the unfettered exercise of religion and the freedom of nationalities, now violated in the Soviet reaim. There is no per-sonal liberty in Russia, he says; no political free-dom; no one is secure of his scant property; no one certain of life itself. Work in Communist institutions, in factories, in timber forcets, in mines and even in villages has become forced labor, "for the benefit of the International Com-munist Party." Mr. Sabline claims the population of Russia has sunk into poverty and experiences of Russia has sunk into poverty and experiences real ravages of famine. He says, moreover, that "the crushing load of the Five Years Plan—i.e., the compulsory mass industrialization of an essentially agricultural country—still further increases the privations and suffering of every industrial.

essentially agricultural country—still further increases the privations and suffering of every individual."

Mr. Sabline is of opinion that the Five Years Plan has failed. That is the reason, he asserts, that the Communist Dictatorship, in order to shift the blame on others, "has launched a campaign of pitiless and senseless terror against the remaining intellectuals in Russia." They are accused of secret counteraction to the plans of the Soviets. Persons are summarily shot for supposed irregularities in the distribution of foodstuffs, and in the meantime those foodstuffs are swamping foreign markets. A new crime, known as "wrecking," has been invented in Russia. Recently forty-eight prominent Soviet employees, characterized as "wreckers" and belonging to the intellectual class, were shot by the Ogpu. Then followed the farcical trial of eight "wreckers," just eight chosen although 2,000 persons were said to be invoived in the plot. The "wreckers," were charged with undermining the Five Years Plan and accused of preparing foreign military intervention. The fantastic character of the accusations is apparent to the world, since coupled with them were the names of such men as Messieurs Poincare and Briand, Mr. Winston Churchill and Colonel Lawrence. The latter, says Mr. Sabline, has passed from Arabian history into Communist demonology. In summing up Mr. Sabline assys:

"In a Communistic State people are punished not as a result of juvestigation and trial in the European sense, and not even in accordance with the logic of facts, but at the arbitrary whim of the members of the Ogpu. The whole world seems to have grown accustomed to these criminal acts, and during these years—long and gruesome for Russia—Europe, in a state of comatose indifference, has looked on at innumerable cases of violation of the most sacred and rudimentary human rights. It is essential that England's voice abould be heard; the voice of all those who are filled with horror at cruelty and violence; the voice of oreofe free thinds."

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THE USES OF ADVERSITY

It requires no courage, only the exercise of common sense, to see virtues in days of adversity. There is a doctrine of relativity in the rounds of life; in prosperity and in depression, in economic ills and blessings. Mental science know: react. of ran' to dark days and to days of prosperity, What the common outlook of humanity but rarely takes into consideration is that the dark is as essential to the continuance of the scheme of things.

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5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS
Victoria—Barometer, 30.40; wind, NE., 8 miles; cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.40; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

of the law is an official with summary jurisdiction, invested with the power of an executioner. He knows that if, he does not kill, he will be killed.

Thus a state of perpetual civil war prevails in the United States, and thoughtful Americans are saying that instead of discussing international disarmament, the authorities of the United States and thoughtful Americans are saying that instead of discussing international disarmament, the authorities of the United States should be take. of the United States should be tak- I rise up farther from cares and of the United States should be taxing action looking towards national
disarmament. As a result of the
national habit of carrying deadly
weapons, the processes of the law
have been perverted and a general
state of lawlessness prevails. All
this, of course, is highly thrilling:
but it is a menace to internal peace,

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order and good government. When every man is a law unto himself, the law ceases to be a protection to the good citizen.

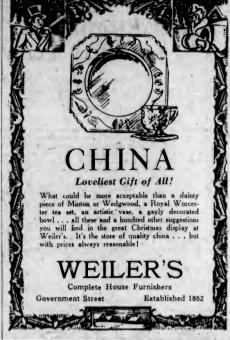
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Prospects of Election Disorders in Bolivia

Georgiach 1996, w The Chaque Daily BUENOS ATRESS Dec. 20—Bolivian newspapers confirm prospects of serious trouble during the presidential election, set for January 4. General Carlos Blanco Galindo head of the provisional regime that superseded the overthrown Bless administration, in a recent newspaper interview, intimated that the Government Junta would be unable to guarantee free elections because army officers, opposed to Bautitas Saavedra's candidacy for the presidency, were determined that Bolivia must be governed by more men rather than those who had formerly been in power. General Galindo said, however, that the junta would do all in its thors and would instantly turn the Government over to whoever should be cletted. He said that the publis

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Bandits Hold Up Two Vancouver Premises

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Seeks Seat on Oak

with a revolver. He ordered them to stand quietly.

ORDERED TO STAND BACK

His companion had entered the meat market, which is connected with the store by an archway, and covered L. Cook, the manager, who was also ordered to stand back while the invader looked the cash register. Before the robber in the store could rifle the cash register, an unidentified, intending customer, entered the place. Quickly percelving that a robbery was in progress, he rushed to the archway and shouted to Mr. Cook that the store was being held up. He had not noticed the second bandit until the man quietly said;

"Yes, and there is a holdup here, too. Come on in."

"Not me," shouted the unwilling

too. Come on in."

"Not me," should the unwilling guest, as he fled through the doorway of the store to the street.

MAKE VAIN ATTEMPT

Police have made a vain attempt to locate this man, who, they believe, might be able to aid in giving a description of the bandita.

Both robbers are described as young men of med described as young men of med described as young men to the face.

From the cash register of the meat, market the gummen obtained \$70. The amount taken from the store has not yet been definitely accertained, but it is believed, police say, that it will exceed \$80.

Just Roamin' Around



Sunrise, Sunset, Gentle-All thy Rancor

TRIAL OF EIGHT TO TAKE PLACE MONDAY

LECTURES ON



By two novements and the master; but the same time, Thomas Bincher, and I said, the other day, Rover and I is started out for Junean ford and the master; but the same time, Thomas Bincher, and I said, the other day, Rover and I is started out for Junean ford; and, believe it or both meet of it in chunks. Of course, we had been out there before, several times in section of the course, we had been out there before, several times in the city, but, always in Summer werdure, and almost overburdened with outer garments, so much so that it was "impossible to see the silectiful little will," and all the designment of the section of the

usual, with tact and silent ()) pre-eminence, just as the hand that rocks the cradle rocks (!) the world!
Rover kicks because the piece of peace of mind that he acquired at Langford Lake, will be only too soon discipated when he returns to town; and mine is: that I am not alert enough to be able to own a "rough-hewn" hermitage by the shores of beautiful, peaceful Lang-ford Lake.

POLICE WORK indley Crease, K.C., Ad-

dresses Douglas House Probationers

OFFICERS IN TRAINING

Toleration, patience and kindness were cardinal qualities in a police officer, Lindley Crease, K.C., one of the senior members of the British Columbia bar, told a training class of young constables at Douglas House, headquarters training centre of the British Columbia police, this week, in the first of a series of lec-tures at the school.

ROBERT W. MAYHEW

President of the Sidner Reofins and Pranc Company, vice-recision of a community, and the most appearance, and spoke with pride of the very fine since lits inception. Police officers, he said, were among the best assets of a community, and the most appealed to by the general public when in trouble. It was a calling that required patterne and toleration in unusually high degree, and when unusually high degree, and when the will try for the position vacable by r. Barber-Starker,

"Policemen and Police Work" was the subject snoken.

d estimate for the Puget Sound Agricultural Company's farm on Langford Plains; and, as he was appointed Justice of the Reace (the must have presumably come here before that date. (it's obvious, at least to Rover and his master; but there may be some who will dispute the remainder of the Barr Association at least to Rover and his master; but there may be some who will dispute lt.)

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STEWART—Funeral services for
Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart who passed
away in this city Priday, December
19, will be held on Monday afternoon from the parlors of the S. J.
Curry & Son Funeral Home at 2:30
o'clock. Rev. F. A. Ramsey will

FINLAYSON—The funeral of Robert Pinlayson, who passed away at Vancouver on December 16, took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell officiating. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." A large gathering of friends were present, including members of the 1.00.P. lodge. Their service at the grave was conducted by Brother Losses, but the strength of the 1.00.P. lodge. Their service at the grave was conducted by Brother Charlie Hastings, Chaplain. The casket was covered with beautiful foral offerings, and the pallicular their particular of the 1.00.P. were all members of the 1.00.P. were all members of the 1.00.P. were all members of the 1.00.P. Munn, L. Monsen, J. May, O. D. Munn, L. Monsen, J. May Co. Undurn, the most say the service of the servi

FIRELDING—There passed away yesterday at Langford, Mrs. Jobs Fleiding, late of Poynton, Deshire, England, aged sixty-five years and born in Woodford, Cheshire. The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Paneral ar-rangements will be announced later.

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Poultry Winners — Among the prize winning poultry at the Provincial Poultry Show, held at Vancouver last week, were a number of exhibits by J. Sarsiat, 3317 Tennyson Avenue. Special prices secured were: Best cockerel, best exhibition pen, best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet, best pair particolor, best pen in show; also best bird from Vancouver Island, and best display of Continentals, best pen, male and female, French, Polish, Hamburgs and Burf Leghorms. In all, Mr. Sarsiat won sixteen firsts, eight seconds, eight thirds and seven fourths.

Hospital.

Friendly Help Appeal — The Friendly Help Association finds, even with Christmas less than five days distant, that still further families are requiring help, and that hampers for these will have to be filled and sent out before Thursday. Further donations of supplies authorised for the Christmas dinner, toys for the children or gifts of woolen clothing, stockings, shoes and sweaters will, therefore, be greatly welcome, and should be sent immediately to the rooms, Market Building. The society received an anonymous gift of \$50 yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Ward. Third Street, entertained in honor of the twenty-first birthday of their son, Mr. Bert Ward. A pleasant evening was spent in games, contests and dancing. Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harvey, Misc Carrie MacWilliams, Vancouver; Musee Helen. Marlon and Getrude Cohran. Dorothy Caivert, Gien Jones, Edith Whiting and Ethel Rowbottom, and Mesars. V. E. Goddard, H. Dixon, Austin Wilson, R. Homewood, George Lloyd, A. Jones and Dudley Harvey.

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in the second of the property will be held on January as the home of Mrs. L. Greenwood, Chapman Street.

Y.W.C.A. Dinner

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City Temple Assiliary

The Ledles' Auxiliary of the City Temple held its regular meeting recently, with Mrs. Williams in the chair. After a short business methods the coder that the Christians hampers will be packed at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning, at 64 Pissard Street, in the Masonic Temple Eulidins, opposite Hadson's Bay-R. R. McMicking Chapter Webes to remind all proposite the coder that the Christians hampers will be packed at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning, at 64 Pissard Street, in the Masonic Temple Paulidins, opposite Hadson's Bay-R. R. McMicking Chapter Members of the Robert Burns Members of the Robert B

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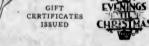
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Back From Europe
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Returns Home
Miss Marguerite Van Vooght will arrive tomorrow to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Van Vooght, Tanait Road, Oak Bay.

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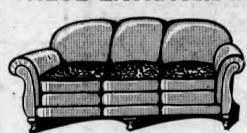
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Mrs. R. A. Duncan was hostess at a silver tea and sale of home ber of musical selections. The home mocoking on Thursday afternoon at her home 236 Kerr avenue, in aid her home proper to the building fund of the Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace. The rooms were prettily decorated with white and mauve chrysanthenums, holly and greenery, and Mrs. Duncan, was won by Hazel of Our Lady Queen of Peace. The rooms were prettily decorated with white and mauve chrysanthenums, holly and greenery, and Mrs. C. Campwan was assisted in receiving her gueets by Mrs. Hutchinson. Mrs. C. Bould, S. C. H. Smith, S. Deausy, president of the Eaguimait, entertained last by Mrs. Hutchinson. Mrs. C. Beauth, S. C. Coldwell, P. E. Beaven wenting with six tables of whist, Subdivision Catholic Women's League, and Mrs. Craven, vice—league, and drs. E. Policy of the first of the proposed of the control of the

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The first of a series of enterments to be given under the auspices of the Christ Church auspices of the Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild was given, last evening at the Memorial thil by the pupils of Mrs. Wilfrid Ord. In his opening remarks, Very Rev. Dean Quainton commented upon the work which Mrs. Ord is doing at the Victoria School of Expression, congratulating her upon the successes of her pupils, and on behalf of the attention, present the property of the present of the successes of her pupils, and on behalf of the attention, present the property of the successes of her pupils, and on behalf of the attention, and on the successes of her pupils, and on behalf of the successes of her pupils, and on the successes of her pupils, and under the direction of Mrs. Ord, delighted the audelence, and all performers gave a most creditable interpretation of the various characters. Outstanding were Kellig Scoweroft, as Mrs. Squeers, a villelingus erhoolmaster: Jungh Peaso, es Nicholas Nickleby, rand Lancelot Clarke as John Browdie. Opsi Advertormbia Introduced a note of the pupils of the pasts convincingly. Others taking part were George Little, William McPhall, Kathleen Martin, Clarence Kirchin as the old gantleman who was out of his mind, B. Maunnel as the walter, and the following schoolhoys: Lee Leighton, J. Monckton, L. Alexander, J. Saunders, L. Clarke, J. Alexander, J. Alexander, D. Al

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MONDAY, DEC. 29, 1930

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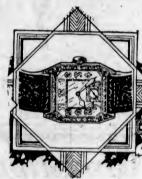
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For First Time in Thirty-Five Years Dividend Was Passed

IMMEDIATE FUTURE IS NOT TOO BRIGHT

In support of the directors' report of accounts at the semi-annual ordinary general meeting of the Nippon Yusen Katsha (Japan Mati), held at Tokio on November 28, Kentkolt Kagani, president, in his sufferest of the company's operation for the aix months ending September 20 last resulted in a loss as shown in the statement of accounts. At the previous general meeting held last May it was stated that the resumption of the gold standard by Japan on the basis of -sriginal parity and the general business depression all the world over then prevailing resulted in the unsatisfactory business of the NYK. during the prevailed in the unsatisfactory business of the Twitter of the country of the coun

which were then considered ultrapessimistic.

YEAR WAS BAD

"The result was," the president
continued, "that the freight earnings were about five and a half milillon yen less than during the previous term," but he found some consolation in a continued slight increase in passenger earnings. As
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sahore and affoat, the president
pointed out that the company had
succeeded in reducing them by
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by which is the succession of the faithful observance of retrenchment by the staff, although it must
have been partly due to the general fall in the prices of commodities. He, however, regretted that
this gain in economy was more
than counterbalanced by a great
falling off on account of the depreciation and the structural repair fund, in accordance with the
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though the benefit of earnings
during the term. Also over three
million yen had to be written off on
account of depreciation of the value
of securities held by the company,
though he hoped that such a depreciation was of a temporary
nature due to the general demoralisation of stock and hare
market. The net result was that
the total amount of loss for the
term, after appropriating
the amount brought forward from the
products erm, was a little over five
and a half million yen.

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In order to cover this loss, the directors recommended the appropriation of the whole of the reserve for the equalization of dividend, viz., 6,760,000 yen, which dend, viz., 6,760,000 yen, whole would enable 1,183,000 yen to be carried forward to the next account. The president then emphasized the necessity of continuing the reduction of the book value of the fleet. He pointed out that the company's fleet at present consisted of 102 vessels of 729,609 gross tons intentioned at 114,860,000 yen, against the original cost of 276,000,000 yen had siready been written off. The company's business was a national service, and it has always been the aim of the company to maintain the fleet on a most efficient and yet economical basis, but, the president regretted, the present distressing depression, the present distressing depression, the present distressing depression, all plans and calculations as to be compelled are no dividend for the first time. The severe economical depression declare no dividend for the first time.

The severe economic depression of Japan brought about by the of Japan brought about by the office of Japan brought about by the circumstances peculiar to Japan, the president added, cannot be expected to be soon removed, and he was under the impression that every economic organism in Japan was bound slowly but ateadily to undergo readjustment in order finally to reach a rational and sound basis. In the meantime, he concluded, resolute determination and patient endurance were de-

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If December 21 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. The critical periods are from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., and from 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. and from 9 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. The stars are clearly read for December 21: there will be some regrettable loss, which will induce a



should carry. Endowed with average intelligence, gifted with common sense, neither obstaints non pm to 11 pm. Make a point of acting upon your proposed and the many pulse of the moment—regardless of "pros" and "cons."

"You have made a stab at many things with only medicore results."

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Cloth 52 x 52 inches and 4 Napkins, neatly boxed for
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Royal Crown Derby at One-Third Off

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Teacup and Saucer. Regular \$7 00. Special. \$4.65
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they like to know that the gifts they buy are up to date and correct as well as of good style and quality. They may be as-sured of this if they shop in our men's and boys' departments. Fancy Cashmere Hose at 69c a Pair

English all-wool cashmere in hosts of smart designs in all shades. A comfortable, long-wearing hose and a sensible gift for any man. All sizes, In gift box. Per pair. 69e

2 Pairs for \$1.26

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Boys' Red Star Gauntlets

Regular \$1.00 for 69c a Pair

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Dressing Gowns. Sizes for 8 to 16 years. \$3.95 to \$6.50 Boys' Recfers. Sizes for 3 to 12 years. \$2.95 to \$10.00 Boys' Overcoats. Sizes for 5 to 18 years. \$6.95 to \$25.00 Boys' Suits. Sizes for 6 to 18 years.
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Women's Chamoisette

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In the Fashionable Style

Slip-On Gloves with smart attiched points—attractively trimmed with strap at wrist or with buttons—or metallic design on the gauntlet. These gloves are made of super quality fabric and are perfect fitting. Sizes 5 to 7½. Choose from grey, pastel, beaver and Riviera. Per pair \$1.00

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Of the Finest Quality

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From 11 to 12 noon, from 2:30 to 3:30 and from 7 to 8 p.m. Santa will appear in one of our windows, where be will perform some of his wonderful feats of magic.

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Lower Main Floor, H B C

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Infants' Dolls, 95¢ to \$1.25
Infants' Thermometers 95¢
Infants' Kid Strap Slippers, 95¢
Infants' Banks 75¢
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Gift Toiletries

Monday Drug Specials

Vick's Vapo-Rub, regular 50c tor 43e
Kolynos Tooth Paste, regular
20e for 44e
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Large and Attractive Bostle
Bath Salts

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Camphorasted Oil
Aromatic Cascara, 2 oz. 190
H B C Malt and Cod Liver Oil,
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and find that there is one still unprovided for—be it man, woman, boy, girl or baby—then is the time to make a dash for

Our Gift Bazaar

The articles are so numerous that we can give only one or-two examples of the various assortments, but shopping will be quick and easy under the simple four-price

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Boys' Bow Set Bicycle Pump Baby's Plate, with nursery rhyme Teddy Bear, 10 Inches long Doll's Tea Set Men's Boxed Ties Sea Stories
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Autograph Book
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Men's Tie and Handkerchief
Set

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recitation, "The Turkeys," Jack Oliver; acrobatic dance, Pegzy Heath, Ruth Anderson, Norma Me. Leod, Eta McLeod, Verm Rodriff, Catherine Hutchison, Norma Me. Leod, Eta McLeod, Verm Rodriff, Catherine Hutchison, Eliso Butt; song, "Noel," the school.

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North Soanich

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SIDNEY, Dec. 20.—A Christmas masquerate carnival for the North Sanahch School children was held in the Service Club rooms, School Crossroad, on Thurnday, December 18. Frizes were won as follows: Best dressed girl, Mary Cruck-shank, as old-fashinoned lady, Best dressed, Doy, Jack Toomer, a Turk. Best arcseed, Doy, Jack Toomer, a Turk. Best arcseed girl, Mary Cruck-shank, as old-fashinoned lady, Best dressed, Doy, Jack Toomer, a Turk. Best arcseed girl, Mary Cruck-shank, as old-fashinoned lady, Best dressed, Doy, Ja

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points to their score percer are many with the whistle.

The Cumberland girls played a steady game to win against Hart's C.G.I.T. girls, outscoring them in the first half, 16-8. In the second stanza the local girls at wed a better brand of play, and the game was even throughout, both teams securing four points to finish 20-12 in favor of the visitors.

With occasional rain.

Young People Give Farewell Banquet

To Two Associates

DUNCAN, Dec. 20.—The Young People's League of the United Church, with the senior department of the Sunday school, Trail Rangers,

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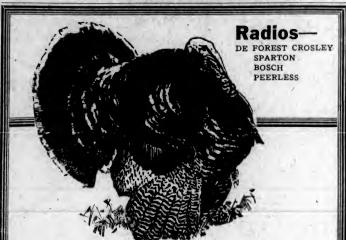
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"CHRISTMAS CAROL" IN SLUMS

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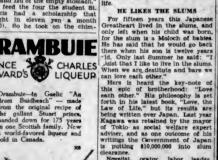
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Surprised and horrified, he took the emactated alum wait, got five yen, bought a cigarette box, put the day of the bean came. He was called 'Copper Statue' because he would stand still all through the day. I had do care for the statue. I had been in prison one and a half years for killing a man. The man hads the had of the came had been in prison one and a half years for killing a man. The man hads this him while drunk and upset his whole day's lot of bean cakes. Fullat got angry and hit the man on the head, by mistake, and killed him instantly. Coming out of prison the shoot of the man began to haunt him, and he couldn't sleep. When he came to me his hands trembled whe held up and his hands trembled. The could sleep only while he grasped my hand firmly. As he fell into a deeper sleep he would drop my hands, and then begit no see the ghost and have a terrible nightmore. When I got him broad awas his hands trembled who had some had been should stream be now that four her was in hat condition."

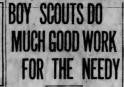
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POLICE AND GUNMEN BATTLE IN CHICAGO

from the robbers' car pierced the farmers' Institute windshield and entered his fore-head. He died instantly.

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The police had been called to the chase by a radio aism of a robbery. The bandits escaped.

Several hours later a squad encountered three men in a car on the Northwest Side and took after them. Losing the race, the trio skidded across the street, jumped from the automobile and ran. The police fired and Patsy Steffanelli, member of the "Porty-Two Cang," fell seriously wounded.

Seven other gunnen and robbers have been killed within the week and two others wounded and captured.

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19, B B 4	19. P N 4!
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22. BQB4	22. P Q 6 ·
23. Q R 2	23. Q Q 5
24. R N 4	24. P Q 7
25. Q x P	25. Q x B ch
26. Q K 2	26. Q N 6
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WHITE

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Castles.
11. P Q R 3
12. P Q N 4!
13. K R N 1
14. P N 4
15. N x N
16. Q x N

27. N K 4 27. Q x B 28. Q Q 6 28. R B 1 White resigns.

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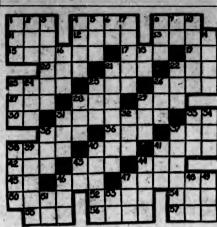
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CHESS NEWS AND NOTES Empland-drofted University with 15. College for the Blind by a 34 to 59. Cambridge Langue C.C. by 10 to 3. Marchage Langue C.C. by 10 to tories. The De Vitt Cimton and Morris schools are tited with 3½-1½. Dartmouth College has been admitted into the Harvard-Yaie Princeton-West Point College Chess League, and will compete in the annual championship tournament at the Marshall Cc. December '22-44. The Providence, R.I., C.C. invited Prank J. Marshall to entertain with a simultaneous of thirty boards. He won 28, drew 4, with no losses, but in an exhibition game vs. three streng players in consultation he had difficulty in securing a draw. The ailles were Harold Morton, New England champion; S. Thompson, R.I. State champion, and S. M. Coldstein. nine.

North can now count, his hand as follows: Two Spades, three Hearts, either two, three or four Clubs depending upon the success of the finesse, and the break of the cards of that suit. If but two Clubs are taken, then it would be necessary for him to obtain a second trick in Diamonds in order to go game. This, of course, cannot, be done unless in the end play East can be forced to lead a second Diamond.

To establish the Club situation.

son, R.I. State champion, and S. M. Goldstein.
Capabianca, how in Paris, will visit New York on his way home from Hastings, England, following the Christmas tournament there. Market Market Sakuba, president, reports that a Kubna, president, reports that the sakuba president, reports hat the sakuba president of officers, and is preparation with resident of the care in the real content of the part of



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Rabbis Indicate Changed Attitude Of Jews to Christ

Recent Utterances of Liberal Judaism Break Long Silence Regarding Greatest Jew and His Birth-day—New Trial by Modern Sanhedrin

Church Repentant of Persecutions

NE of the striking developments in contemporaneous religion is the changed attitude toward Jesus on the part of many Jews. Up till about the beginning of the century there had been no public discussion of any sort by Jewish rabbis of the personality of one who was a Jew, born of a Jewish mother, trained in the ways of the Jewish synagogue, whole disciples were Jews, and whose church, it is generally held, was the outgrowth and climax of the Jewish dispensation. But the silence of three score generations has at last been broken, and rabbis of Liberal Judaism have even called attention to the observance of Christmas Day.

Fletcher Brothers' Christmas Window



Jew, but I am enthralled by the luminous figure of the Nazarene.

SANEDRIN IS PROFOSED
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Golden Twilight Highway Film to Be Widely Shown In South All Next Year

merce and clubs in California. With seven pages of striking graphs made by Mr. Curits a scompanied the caravan to teal for the caravan to teal the control of Southern California, made an interesting film of the ran, a copy of which has been raded to the Provincial Bureau

Brazil Automobiles

MAN IS WOUNDED IN TRYING TO ESCAPE

AVID SPENCEL

Meats-Provisions-Delicatessen

MONDAY VALUES_CASH AND CARRY

20,000 Lbs.

Christmas Poultry

2,000 lbs. of Turkeys over 20 lbs.	25-
10	35c
10 to 15 lbs., per lb., 42¢ ; 15 to 20 lbs., per lb	40c

Monday's Poultry Special!

2¢ a Lb. Off All Poultry, Taken Delivery of Undrawn, at Time of Purchase

Fres	-Killed	Turkey	s, 6 to	8 lbs.,	1b	30
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Fresh	1-Killed	Turkey	s. 15 1	bs. up.	lb	39
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ALL-DAY VALUES

Swift's Premium Hams, whole or shank half, lb., 35¢
Sovereign Hams, whole or shank half, lb., 30¢
Smoked Picnic Hams, lb., 21¢; Cottage Rolls, lb., 31¢
Sliced Ayrshire Backs and Ayrshire Hams, lb. 40¢
Pure Lard, 2 lbs. for 32¢; Flake-White, lb. 18¢
Fir t New Zealand Butter, lb., 35¢; 3 lbs. for \$1.03
Beekist Honey, lb. 16¢
Libby's Mincemeat, 2 lbs. 35¢
Wieners, lb., 29¢; Libby's Kraut, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Sliced Baked Ham, lb., 53¢; Boiled Ham, lb. 53¢

Street Car Schedules

For Christmas Holidays

On Christmas Day Morning all cars will operate

under the usual Sunday time schedule On Christmas Day Evening all cars will operate under the usual week-day schedule—the last cars for all points leaving at the usual week-

Burgess Bedtime Stories

The End of the Hunt

To bring you safely to the end.

—Bobby Coon

To bring you safely to the end.

—Bobby Coon.

Bobby ought to know. He hash and occasion to prove the truth of this little saying more than once. If he had not clung to hope and had the courage to keep on doing his best he would have lost his life long aso. Quitting is a word Bobby doesn't know the meaning of.

So it was that Bobby didn't once think of giving up that night when the hunters were after him, with a dog berking oh his tail, a dog he could not lool by any trick, and no place of safety near enough for him believed to him that he must stop. And then all in a flash it came to him that he he could be where the dog and the hunters could not get him. He hadn't thought of it before exaugh he never had had occasion to make use of it before.

When he did think of it he was are the edge of the Orean Forest, New strength came to move fasier than before.

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New Beatty

The BASKET protects your hands. It raises the clothes out of the hot water so that only the tips of the fingers are used to carry them to the wringer. Use a Beatty and keep your hands soft and smooth and white.

The BASKET saves your back. It lifts the clothes to within easy reach and does away with all stooping over the tub. No kinks or pains in the back when you use a new Beatty.

Price, including 3 extras, \$179. Small down payment. Terms \$9.00 per month. No interest added. Generous allowance on your old washer

Santa's best gift this Xmas is the new Beatty, a washer 10 years in advance of all others. possesses such exclusive features as the Raise and Lower Basket, the Sediment Zone, the Beaded Agitator, the Double-Walled Tank and the Control Pedal. That is why the Beatty sets a new record in wash-day ease and comfort. It has Twice the capacity of other washers. The new Beatty is a matchless washer.

Beatty washers come direct from the factory. They are backed by reliable factory service, and are 100% Originated, Designed and Made in Canada. This assures you of the very lowest price and of efficient service if ever necessary.

THREE EXTRAS FREE

A Washer is but one unit of the home laundry outfit. Complete yours with as the washer itself, every one of them is a real help on wash day. Ask to see them, and remember they are yours FREE.



B. C. ELECTRIC TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

On Friday, December 26, the usual week-day service will be in operation throughout the day.



CORSELETTES

For Evening Wear

Low-back models of pink swami silk, with lace top and silk elastic sections in sides and Lined to the waist with strong cotton. Four hose supporters. Price \$6.50



PRINCESS SLIPS

Of Crepe de Chine and Satin

Crepe de Chine Slips in princess effects, with lovely lace trimming at top and bottom; in white, pink and peach. Each. \$6.95 and \$8.95

Girls' Silk Hose

Pure Thread Silk Hose with long semi-fashioned legs; silk to the garter hem; square heels; strongly reinforced. Shown in all newest shades. Sizes 8 to

Harvey's Lace-Trimmed Underwear

\$2.50 and \$2.95 a Set

Harvey Lace-Trimmed Vest and Pantee Sets, in shades of vanilla, sprig, apricot and sunni.

Lace-Trimmed French Pantees, made with deep yoke and open side, with Dainty Lace-Trin

Rayon Silk Bedspreads and Boudoir . Cushions



An attractive variety of Rayon Silk Bedspreads, in three quarter and double bed sizes. All colors. Each. . . . \$4.98, \$5.75, \$6.75, \$7.50, \$9.75 and \$12.75

Boudoir Cushions and Day Pillows in fancy rayon silk Each

20c to \$1.50

Sewing Sets, Hat Stands, Novelty Corks and Bridge Pencils. A great variety of attractive gifts,

Christmas Novelties for Gifts Feather Dusters, Cigarette Boxes, Match Holders.

Dainty Socks for Children's Gifts

Pure Thread Silk Half Socks in shades of sky.

Children's Ankle Socks of lisle, wool and silk and

A Great Variety of

Dressing Gowns For Women

Beacon Cloth Gown's in several patterns, with collar, cuffs and pockets. They are satin bound and finished with girdle.

\$4.95

Bath Robes of fine wool materials, in a selection of patterns and shades. Trimmed with satin, cord binding and girdle.

\$7.95 and \$9.90

Knitted "Hug-Me-Tights"

\$1.95 to \$3.50 Made in nightingale pattern, wrap-around effect, with close-fitting cuffs, medallion or ribbon trimmed. All shades.

Just three more days to select your gifts, which you may do most satisfactorily from the great stocks of merchandise we have assembled from markets both far and near —gifts that are practical, gifts that are dainty, gifts of remembrance.

Open Mon., Tues. and Wed. Evenings

The Christmas Store

Gift Jewelry

In a Wide Choice

Every woman delights in Costume Jewelryand there can be no

more charming gift. Genuine Chanel Jewelry, Crystals, Pearls, Rhinestone Necklets and Chain Pendants. A great selection from which to choose.

75c to \$5.95

Yardley's Gifts for Men

A New Shaving Outfit

Party or Evening Bags

Are Welcome Gifts

Bags with rhine stone settings are

\$3.50 to \$7.50

Fancy Brocade Bags in pouch or flat style add an attractive touch of color to the formal costume. \$1.95 to \$5.50



to garter welt and slendo heels, At......\$1.00 and .. \$1.25

All-Silk Chiffon Hose with slendo or pointed heels. At...........\$1.25 Sansheen Dull-Finish Hose

service or chiffon weights. \$1.95

All-Silk Chiffon Hose with black triple-stripe heels. A pair, \$2.50

to welt with slendo heels.

All-Silk Chiffon Hose with

Black Moire Silk

particularly smart this season. Priced from

Richard Hudnut's Gift Coffrets

Beautiful Toiletry and Perfumery Sets; many elegant and dainty packages to choose from at all prices to suit......\$10.00, \$8.50, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3.50, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75 and \$1.50

Famous Hosiery Kayser - Rainbow - Corticelli

Boxed for Christmas Presentation

In these three makes of fine Hosiery you will find the most desirable and fashionable shades.

Rainbow

Semi-Service Hose, silk to welt and slendo heels, A pair \$1.00 Heavy Service-Weight Hose, silk pair\$1.95 Dull-Finish Chiffon Hose, all silk with slendo heels\$1.50\$1.95

Corticelli

Light Service-Weight Silk Hose, Heavy Service-Weight Hose, silk to welt; slendo heels. Priced at, \$1.95 a pair..... Sheer Chiffon Hose, all silk to top, with slendo heels.......\$1.95\$2.50

Sheer Chiffon Hose, all silk with

Very Fine Shirts For Men's Christmas Gifts

"Tookesheen" Shirts with separate or attached collar. Plain blue, cream or white. Three different sleeve lengths..... Shirts of white broadcloth, patterned with stripes separate collar and all sizes....... \$3.00 and \$3.50

Superfine Silk-Finish White Broadcloth Shirts, Plain Broadcloth Shirts. Cream, blue and white,

The Gift That Keeps on Giving A Victor Record

130816 "Maid of the Mountains" 35796 "The Mikado"

35809 "The Desert Song" 130814 "Yeoman of the Guard"

Give Merchandise Scrip Sold at our Exchange Desk and Douglas Street Entrance. Redeemable at any of our stores.

Gift Baggage

Men's Leather Suit Cases, Eng-lish or Canadian makes. Priced from\$13.00

Men's Coat Cases, will hold one or two suits. Light, strong, new style. \$22.50 to



English Leather Gladstone Bags with inside straps 22 and 24-inch. Priced accordingly at \$22.50

"Tourobe" Trunks of strong veneer wood; will hold several suits. Assorted colors ... - Bassage, Main Ploor

Fancy Towel Sets

Towel Sets, consisting of Turkish towel with fancy border and wash cloth to match. Tied up with satin ribbon. A set, 69¢, 75¢, 98¢, \$1.15 and \$1.25

50c TURKEY SUPPER

Will be served in our Dining-Room, Third Floor, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, from 5:30 to 8.

Boys' Tweed Caps, Smart Styles, \$1.25

Made have good grade materials in attractive patterns. Fancy linings. Sizes 61/4 to 7.